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U.S. INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

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CANONYMOUS COMMENT: "20 DOLLARS PER HEAD")

(TEXT) AN AMERICAN PILOT IS UNMASKING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE U.S. INTELLIGNECE AGENCY IN VIETNAM: THEY COULD NOT JUST SHOOT SOMEBODY THROUGH THE READ AND SAY THAT HE HAD BEEN KILLED, FINISHED OFF, OR (WORD INDISTINCT). PROOFS WERE WECESSARY. THE MONEY WAS GIVEN ONLY AFTER THE PHOTOGRAPH OF THE VICTIM WAS SHOWN." THERE ARE THE WORDS OF AN AMERICAN PILOT CALLED JACK (BARTOS), WHO RECENTLY ARRIVED IN AUSTRALIA TO WORK ON CONTRACT IN THE AGRICULTURAL AVIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES. JACK (BARTOS) HAD SPENT A FEW YEARS IN SOUTH VIETNAM WHERE HE SERVED IN THE "VIETNAMESE AIR TRANSPORT" COMPANY." ONLY THE NAME OF THIS COMPANY WAS VIETNAMESE. "THROUGH MY PASSENGERS I LEARNED THAT THIS COMPANY WAS A COVER FOR CIA OPERATIONS IN VIETNAM," (BARTOS) SAID. ONE OF THE TASKS OF THE CIA IS TO RECRUIT INTELLEGENCE AGENTS AND DIVER SIGNISTS IN ORDER TO SEND THEN TO THE DRY AND TO RECRUIT PROVOCATEURS FRO THE ORGANS OF THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT OF SOUTH VIETNAM.

"I HAVE TRANSPORTED MANY SUCH PEOPLE IN MY PLANE," HE ADMITTED. "ONE OF THE CHIEFS OF THE CIA IN VIETNAM ONCE SHOWED ME A WHOLE PACKAGE OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF VICTIMS. HE BOASTED THAT HE WAS SENDING. GROUPS OF KILLERS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY AND DOES NOT PAY THEM AS LONG AS THEY HAVE NOT SHOWN HIM THE PHOTOGRAPHS. THE USUAL TARIFF FOR A KILLING IS 20 U.S. DOLLARS. IF THE KILLING IS MORE DIFFICULT AND IS BEING CARRIED OUT BY A WHOLE GROUP, THEN EACH PARTICIPANT OF THE GROUP RECEIVES 20 DOLLARS." (BARTOS) FURTHER SAID THAT ONE OF THE METHODS OF THE CIA IN TREATING CAPTURED PRISONERS IS TO THROW THEM FROM A GREAT HEIGHT. AMONG THE AMERICAN HELICOPTERS CREWS THIS METHOD WAS WIDESPREAD AND REPRESENTED A SORT OF GREAT ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE CREW.

THE ABOVE-MENTIONED FACTS ARE TAKEN FROM THE INTERVIEW OF THE AUSTRALIAN JOURNALIST (HARRY STAINS) WITH JACK (BARTOS) WHICH IS PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY (TRIBUNE). THE CONFESSIONS OF JACK (BARTOS), WHO IN HIS STRIVING FOR HIGHER EARNINGS UNEXPECTEDLY FOUND HIMSELF IN THE VERY CENTER OF THE BACKSTAGE ACTIVITIES OF THE AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE AGENCY IN ASIA, ARE THE BEST ILLUSTRATION FOR AUSTRALIANS OF WHAT CAN ACTUALLY BE THE RESULT, TRANSLATED INTO DEEDS, OF THE SLOGAN OF THEIR PRIME MINISTER: "ALWAYS AND AT ANY TIME WITH PRESIDENT YOU JUL 0103Z EN/GY